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SENATE LOPS OFF TREATY CLAUSES TO GEI FINAL BALLOT

Move to Summarily Disavow All Obligations, Losses and

Bipartisan Alteration to Article Ten Voted Down.

WASHINGTON, March 15.—Paving the way for a ifnal vote on the reservation to article 10, the senate today rejected 59 to 37. Senator Prelimfunyaers substitute proposing summary disavoval of all obligations.

The reservation worked out but not agreed to in the bipartisan conference was offered by Senator Kirby, Democrat, Arkansas, and was rejected, 60 to 31. All the Republicans and Senators Gore, Reed, Shielda Williams and Harrison, Democrats, voted against it.

Administration leaders, working against acceptance of the Republican substitute was quite as objectionable to President wilson as the original reservation adopted in November.

At the White Heuse it was said the president's views on the substitute had been outlined to Senator Hitchcock in a letter replying to one from the senator intosing the substitute was quite as objectionable to President Wilson as the original reservation of the Tribate fair.

The development caused no surprise in the senate, since all elements have understood that in opposing the substitute Senator Hitchcock was working with the arrival here today of William Jennings Bryan, advocating a compromise that would secure the treaty's situation, however, when coupled with the arrival here today of William Jennings Bryan, advocating a compromise that would secure the treaty's fattification. Mr. Bryan was expected to see many Democratic senators within the next few days, bringing again into prominence his disagreement with the president over his views of the reservation.

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Nolens Insist That Dropped Pistol Sunday Night Caused Wound.

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Both H. D. Nolen, South Main street druggist, and his wife insist that he received a pistol wound which is confining him in the Baptist Memorial hospital when he dropped a pistol Sunday night at their home, 393 North Garland street. The bullet entered Nolen's left leg, just above the knee, and struck the bone.

But Mrs. Nolen, by police order, has been charked with shooting with intent to kiff. She was placed on the police docket an hour and a half after the shooting, despite her insistence that at the time her husband was wounded, she was automobile riding with refailves. Mrs. Nolen, through Attorney Charles M. Bryan, made bond of \$1,000 immediately. Her arrest was protested by her husband, who insisted that he wounded himself accidentally.

The placing of the charge against Mrs. Nolen followed statements to police of two neighbors, both of whom declared they heard three or four shots fired. One claimed he heard a man cry out. Don't let her shoot me any more."

X-ray photographs of Nolen's leg

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X-ray photographs of Nolen's leg will be made Monday to determine whether or not the bone is shattered.

FINE RESIDENCE IN BUNTYN BURNS

Flames Wreck Home of A. R. Beck, Cotton Factor, on Goodwyn Ave.

Fire of unknown origin completely wrecked the heautiful home of A. Renwick Beck, manager of Goold & Ce., cotton factors, about 3 o'clock Monday morning. The residence was located on Goodwyn avenue, Buntyn.

Mr. Beck and Wick Richardson were the sole occupants of the house at the time the blaze broke out. They were awakened by smoke and rushed from the house pajama clad. They were able to save automobiles in the garage, but the house and its contents were destroyed. The loss will reach between \$40,000 and \$50,000.

The Memphis fire department was not summoned, the section being outnot summoned, the section being out-side the city limits, and there being no water pressure there to feed the big engine pumpers.

The Beck home was across Goodwyn avenue from the home of W. D. Mallory. Mr. Mallory's mother said Monday that she was awakened by the flickering light of the flames from the lumning house.

Mr. Beck could not be reached at his office Monday. Other persons there could not say whether the loss was cov-

STATE DEPARTMENT TECHNICALLY HEADLESS

WASHINGTON, March 15.—The state siepartment today was technically without a head. Frank L. Polk, who has acted as secretary since the resignation of Robert Lansing, resumed his duties as undersecretary, law officers of the department having held that he could not serve as secretary ad interim for more than 36 days.

The senate foreign relations committee had planned to give further consideration today to the nomination of Bainbridge Colby, but postponed the meting upon failure of witnesses to appear. Members of the committee take the position that under the wartime therman act President Wilson can assign to some other official the duties of the secretary of state and consequently that delays in acting on Mr. Colby's nomination should not embargass the department.

The president had not designated an acting secretary today and it was said at the department that passports were not being issued as there was no one to sign them. Passports recently have been issued at the rate of from 500 to \$90 a day, mostly to persons going to Europe, Cuba and South America.

\$75,000 Building To Be Erected For Women's Exhibits

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CLAIN SHOOTING

WAS ACCIDENTAL

Nolens Insist That Dropped

Pigsol Sunday Night.

AMERONGEN, Holland, March 15.

By the Associated Press.)—Former Emperor William spent the greater part of today in the garden of Bentinck castle, where he paced up and down with every evidence of being under great hervoys tension. Religious services, which have been held regularly there every Sunds, were smitted yesterday. The strain of the events of the last few days seems to weigh so heavily upon his mind hat he can not tolerate the company of others, and he makes every effort to get out of doors.

While engaged in his wood sawing, it is said, he has been seen to stop and run to and fro, and give other evidences of nervous tension.

On Tuesday the former emperor completed the sawing of his 16,060th tree, and there was quite a celebration of the event, the members of the household and local authorities of Amerongen being present. The former emperor William of Germany is not involved in the econtact of the event of the even

ALABAMIAN GOES TO ROPER'S POSITION

WASHINGTON, March 15.—William Martin Williams, of Alabama, will suc-ceed Daniel C. Roper as commissioner of internal revenue.

Mr. Williams' selection by President Wilson was announced today at the White House, He is solicitor for the department of agriculture and was recommended for his new post by Secretary of the Treasury Houston, who formerly was secretary of agriculture.

Mr. Williams was born at Westpoint, Ga., is 43 years old and a Democrat. He was graduated from Alabama Polytechnic Institute and attended Harvard university law school. Later he was an instructor at Alabama Polytechnic, and-captain of the cadet corps at the school.

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During the period of his law practice in Montgomery, Mr. Williams was a member of the firm of Rushton, Williams and Creashaw. He is a member and a second s of the Alabama Bar association and a former vice-president of the Montgom-ery Bar association.

JAP TROOPS REVOLT; **UNREST IN KOREA**

LONDON, March 15.—A revolt has broken out among several units of the Japanese troops in Siberia, according to a wireless dispatch sent out by the soviet government at Moscow. The soldiers stripped off their shoulder straps and substituted red straps, the dispatch says.

The last day for filing income tax returns and making payment thereon is at hand and hundreds of late comers is at hand and hundreds of late comers are making every effort to be served. At midpight Monday the office closes and all delinquents will be liable to a \$1.000 fine and a penalty on the amount due the government.

It is generally believed when the office closes practically all returns will be in. All records will be forwarded to Nashville, where work of checking up will begin. up will begin.

COMER SWORN IN. WASHINGTON, March 15 .- Forme Fov. B. B. Camer, appointed to fil he unexpired term of the late Senator

Hour. Dry Balb. Wet Bulb. Humid' 7 p.m. yes'day .. 66 58 41
7 a.m. today .. 58 53 73
Noon today .. 66 57 57
Maximum temperature, 70; minimum.
57. Sun sets today 5:07 p.m. Rises tomorrow 6:09 a.m. Moon rises 3:34 a.m.

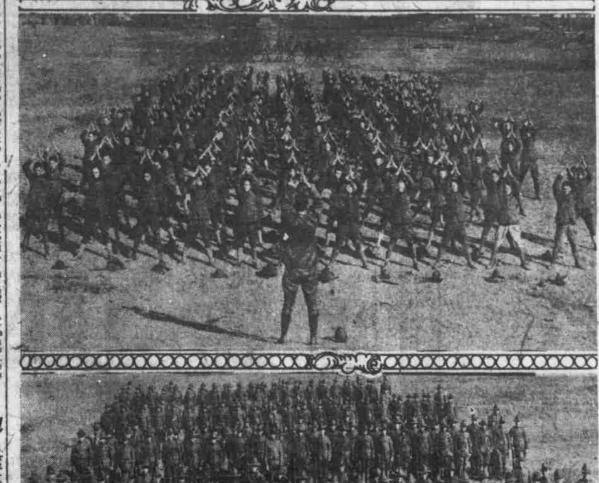
tonight. Precipitation, none. Tennessee and Mississipps-Partly loudy, clearing and colder. Arkansas-Cloudy, colder.

Alabama-Partly clouds, warmer in Oklahoma and East Texas-Cloudy. West Texas-Fair, colder; freezing in

Louisiana-Increasing cloudiness and older in north portion. Kentucky-Partly clouds, solder to

and Florids-Partly cloudy, warmer,

Virginia-Cloudy, warmer. North and South Carolina, Georgia SEVEN HUNDRED MEMPHIS YOUTHS BEING GIVEN TRAINING FOR POTENTIAL U. S. ARMY OFFICERS



CLAYPOOL LEAVES

Appointed Agent for River Barge Line Here.

division freight office of the Rock Island railroad, is to leave railroad work land railroad, is to leave railroad work to take up river traffic transportation. He has been appointed Memphis agent for the Mississippi River-Warrior Transportation company, it was announced Monday, Mr. Claypool will succeed J. B. Roberts, who goes to Vicksburg, Miss., to open offices for the government barge line there.

For four years Mr. Claypool has been with the Rock Island. He was formerly commercial agent for the Eric railroad and is recognized as one of the best rate authorities in Memphis. He has a wide acquaintance among businessmen and railway officials, with all of whom he is very popular.

ular.

River transportation is growing heavier weekly. A cargo of 4,380 bales of cotton for export at New Orleans left Sunday night. At the same time a heavy cargo of merchandise arrived from St. Louis. Another barge is loading for New Orleans which is avyacted. ing for New Orleans which is expected to depart Thursday.

NATIONAL DAIRY SHOW COMING HERE

the the national dairy show which ex-bilits some of the best dairy stock in the United States is to be in Mem-phis within the next few months, aca wireless dispatch sent out by the soviet government at Moscow. The soldiers stripped off their shoulder straps and substituted red straps, the dispatch says.

Growth of the revolutionary movement in Korea also is reported by the dispatch, which says that the Japanese authorities have made many arrests, At the same time, the soviet message asserts, the Japanese government is taking special measures to fight the communist movement at home.

LAST DAY AT HAND

TO FILE INCOME TAX

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TWO YOUTHS KILLED IN

BIG BARRACKS FIRE

WASHINGTON. March 15.—Two members of the American expeditionary forces at Viadivostok were burned to death in a fire which destroyed the American barracks at that place on March 6, and two others are missing, the war department was advised in a cablegram received today from Maj-Gen, Graves. The men were: Privates James A. Brantley, Fitagerald, Ga.; Merrill D. Martin, Tulsa, Okla; Alex V. Ladeau, Oakland, Cal; Julius W. Morris, Ringford, N. J.

Two bodies were recovered, but identification was impossible.

of the military service. Such is the war department's intention for the war department for each student valued at about \$100, and consisting of uniform, rifle, bayonet and accountements.

Forty-five minutes each day, between 2.45 and 2.30 p.m. at Central high are given over to drill, setting up exercises, rifle practice and other maneuvers of the soldier, at the conclusion of which the cadets stand 'retreat' lowering the flag, which marks the close of the army's day. At Vocational high school drill is from \$3.20 to \$2.15 a.m. Capt. Paschal and the sergeants are present at all drills.

Marksmanship being a necessary accomplishment for a good soldier, rifle practice is frequently the order of the day. A range for use of reduced charges will soon be completed at Central high school and all cadets will participate in practices which will lead fo the organizing of a Memphis Junior R. O. T. C. rifle team to participate in matches with the R. O. T. C. of other

Daily 700 Memphis boys, potential officers of the American army, are being
shift the manual of arms and drill
annual by a West Point graduate, assisted by two soldiers of the regular
army. At Central high and Vocational
high schools there is organized a branch
of the reserve officers training corps,
junior division, under command of Capt.
P. C. Paschal, winner of the American
distinguished service cross, French
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Claypool, chief cierk in the Cotton Consumed During February Shown By Report

WASHINGTON, March 15.—Cotton consumed during February amounted to 516,594 equivalent 500-pound bales of lint, and 26,320 bales of linters, the census bureau announced today.

In February last year 432,295 bales of lint and 8,704 bales of linters seems.

are given instructions by Capt. Paschal or one of the sergeants.

At Central high two battalions of four companies each are organized, each having its own cadet officers and noncommissioned officers. About 590 or 500 bbys are in these battalions, At Vocational's high school three companies, with a total chrollment of 160 bbys, compose the unit.

A word about the officer who commands the junior R. O. T. C. here: Capt. Paschal graduated from West Point in 1915 and was commissioned in the regular army. At the outbreak of the war with Germany he went to Europe, where he saw service in five major engagements, in two of which hecommanded a battalion of the Third division, holding temporary rank of ma-

a year ago.

Cotton spindles active during February numbered 34,668,642, compared with 33,282,015 in February last year.

commanded a battalion of the Third division, holding temporary rank of major. The five battles in which he participated were the Aisne-Marne defensive, St. Mihiel offensive, Meuse-Argonne offensive, Alsne-Marne defensive. It was while at Chateau Thierry that Capt. Paschal, then a major, was wounded. His decorations came for service at that point. Capt. Paschal is now a member of the Thirteenth infantry, and is here on detached service. His two assistants, First Sergeant A. Carter and Sergt. M. G. Fitzhugh, have had years of service in the army. During the war Sergt. Carter held a temporary commission as major, command-FORMER GOVERNOR TO ADDRESS CHAMBER

Former Gov. A. O. Eberhart, of Min-nesota, now a resident of Chicago, will be in Memphis next Friday to deliver an address before several organizations of the Memphis Chamber of Commerce on the "Development of Waterways." He will speak before the traffic and transportation section of the chamber, the foreign trade committee, the board of directors and the industrial sec-tion.

ing the war Sergt. Carter held a temporary commission as major, commanding a battallon, and Sergt. Fitzhugh was a captain, commanding a company. Both know military tacties and discipline, and are excellent soldiers.

Immediately following the war the government, realizing the good that military training has done, ordered establishment throughout the country of reserve officers training corps, and detailed a number of officers to instruct students. The object is to provide military training at civil educational institutions to qualify students as reserve officers. of directors and the industrial section.—

Gov. Eberhart's domestic, political and professional history is unique. He was born in Sweden and was brought to the United States when II years of age. He first attracted attention when he had his name changed by order of the court from Oison to Eberhart because there were served Olsons in the town in which he lived.—

He worked his way through academy and collegs and in college took every subject, elective and otherwise, on the curriculum. He studied law and went into politics. He was elected lieutenant-governor of Minnesota with Gov. Johnson, who died in office After filling the unexpired term Gov. Eberhart was nominated and elected to the office. He then retired from politics and resumed the practice of law. He later removed to Chicago. reserve officers' training corps a thor-ough physical training, to inclucate in them a respect for all lawful authority, to teach fundamentals of the military profession, leadership and the special knowledge required to enable them to serve efficiently in the various branches of the military service." Such is the war department's intention for the corps.

HIGHWAY ASSOCIATION **MEETS IN JACKSON**

A meeting of the Jefferson Davis Highway association is to be held in Jackson, Miss., April 8, according to sinouncements made Monday by D. W. Moss, president of the Memphis-Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Moss is a resident of Dyersburg and came to Memphis Monday to confer with Mr. King relative to the meeting.

The date was announced after Mr. King had communicated with J. D. Thomas, of Grenada, Miss., who pledged a large Mississippi delegation to the meeting at the Mississippi capital. Reports will be received on work in all counties in Kentucky, Tennessee, Mississippi and Louisiana through which the Jefferson Davis highway passes. The annual election of officers also will be held.

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NEGROES IMPROVE.

Three nerroes, victims of pistol shot wounds, all showed improvement at it he General hospital Monday. Albert Nicabear, shot by Patroland W. Harry Rodgers receiving end of a dusky. Rodgers receiving end of a dusky and set agents in a gun battle Sunday, March, probably will recover, attaches said.

ARMENIAN SPEAKS.

Lady Anne Azgepatian, wife of an Armenian general, was to speak today at a luncheon given by the women's central committee of the Memphis corps has been organized with the mext competitive drill. Prizes will be given each member of the company having the best gallery practice record. The Memphis corps has been organized but little more than a year, having started in February, 1919, by Col. Frost as commander.

Capt. Paschal says the funder of the work needed to be done is the stricken nation.

BANKER IN CITY.

Far-Reaching Case On Lumber Rates To Be Heard Here

Price Three Cents

to Memphis' formidable position as a lumber center.

The hearing has been postponed so that representatives of the lumber interests and carriers may met in Washington with Commissioner Barchay and agree on procedure under the new rall-road law. At the conference next Monday the lumbermen will be represented by J. H. Townshend, secretary of the Southern Hardwood Traffic nesseintion, and J. W. Norman, of Louisville, general counsel for the association.

The lumbermen seek a rail rate from the point of origin on timber to its final destination with a stopover charge only for delaying logs in Memphis long shough to manufacture them into lumonly for delaying logs in Memphis long shough to manufacture them into lumber. After the product is completed it then would proceed to its destination on the same rate at which the logs were brought to Memphis.

Yarding, rating and sorting also are involved in the litigation. Lumber interests are confident of winning the

Submarines Avoided on High Seas Often By Merest Luck, He Says.

WASHINGTON, March 15—German submarines were enabled to attack the first convey of American troop ships sent to France because the navy department used an unsafe code which was intercepted and deciphered. Rear Admiral Sims today told the senate investigating committee.

Only in measure of "good luck" brought the convoy safely to bort, the admiral said, and other troop ships and destroyers were endangered through similar incidents early in the war.

"The announcement of the sailing of the first American destroyers was printed in Berlin four days before they arrived at Queenstown," declared the

garded. All the other allies and the enemy were using new wartime codes, he said, while the United States continued to arest invaluable information to a code used for many years.

Information regarding convoys bound for France was known in social circles in Paris before even Gen. Pershing was informed officially, Admiral Sims, asserted. To illustrate the widespread knowledge of the plans for the first convoy's departure, the admiral testified that the United States naval attache roop ships were salling from a woman whose husband had received the infort to consult him and thus avail itself of the experience of the allies in handling troop ships. Regulations for the convoys were drawn up in the war and navy departments and signed by President Wilson, Secretaries Daniels and Baker. Gen. Bliss and Admiral Benson, on May 27, without reference to him, admiral Sims stated, and his first knowledge of these arrangements came when he received a copy of the regulations nearly five months later.

"As an illustration of how completely I was in the dark," the admiral said, "I received information from both the was in the dark," the admiral said, I received information from both the

French and British naval authorities concerning the convoy before I was officially informed of it by the detary Daniels, dated June 6, 1917, marked "very confidential" and containing discoulance for the protection of the conrections fog the protection of the con-voy by destroyers. Admiral Sims said it "would be impossible to find a more striking example of the department's insistence upon making decisions based upon complete misinformation.

NEW JERSEY WET

WASHINGTON, March 15 .- New Jerproceedings to test the validity of the prohibition amendment. In applications filed March 8 Attorney-General McCran of New Jersey contended the amendment was improperly drawn, was not ratified properly in view of the referendum provisions in the constitution of 21 states and that congress possessed no authority to propose an amendment regulating the habits and morals of the people. Chief Justice White asked that the government and the state expedite the New Jersey case so that it could be considered along with the other suits which have been argued.

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Under an agreement with Attorney-General McCran, Solicitor-General Kingasked the court to fix March 23 as the date for the arguments. He also asked that appeals in the Fiegenspan case from New Jersey and the Wisconsinease hoth of which involve the amendment's validity insofar as it relates to beer, be heard at the same time. As the court plans to recess that day for two weeks the motions were taken under advisement.

TWO CHECKS MAILED TO FIREMEN'S FUND

Good work done by firemen in pre-enting strend of flames at recent dazes brought two checks for the fremen's Benefit association to Fire thief Mike Fitzmorfis in the Monday Bohlen-Huse Coal and Ice company Inc., mailed a \$100 check for work done on the Glaslyn building fire and James E. Stark & Co., lumber man-ufacturers, sent in \$50 to the firemen.

MEMPHIAN TO SPEAK.

Miss Mary B, McGowan, county demonstration agent, will speak at the annual convention of the Southern Economic association, which is to be opened in New Orleans March 18. Miss McGowan will speak on "Clothing Demonstration." She is the only Memphian on the program.

Miss Mary E. Creswell, of Athens, Ga., is president of the organization and Miss Susle E. Powell, of Stark-ville, Miss., is secretary.

REDS BEGIN NEW ATTACK; EBERT RULE TOTTERING

PARIS, March 15:- Latest advices to the French foreign of fice from Berlin, it was said today, indicated that the revolution in Prussia had thus far been confined to the military and the pan-German party, and was without other political support. Leaders of the conservative parties and such industrial leaders at Dr. Walter Rathenau, president of the German General Electric company, it was declared, had condemned the movement.

PARIS, March 15.-Independent socialists and communists at Mannheim have decided to take advantage of the present sifuation in Germany and proclaim a soviet government,

Majority and independent socialists throughout Germany appear to be uniting against the military movement initiated in Berlin, according to a Basel dispatch to L'Information

BERLIN, March 15. (By the Associated Press.) - An unconfirmed report was current today that the new German government had reached an agreement with the Ebert government in order to avoid the threatened railway strike.

BERLIN, March 15.-Bloody encounters between workmen and troops have occurred in Frankfort. A general strike has been called for Monday in Breslau,

Madgeburg, Nuremburg and Frankfort. Bayaria, Wuttemberg and Saxony have refused to acknowledge the new Berlin government. The troops of Bayaria and Wurttemberg have declared their allegiance to their respective

According to private reports Konstantin Fehrenbach, president of the national assembly, has arrived in Stuttgart and has called a meeting of the national assembly there for Tuesday.

BERLIN. March 15.—Leaders of the Chert government, ousted from power by the sudden reactionary revoit Saturday morning, are apparently gathers. Ebert government, ousted from power by the gudden reactionary revolt Sat-

by the sudden reactionary revoit Saturday morning, are apparently gathering their forces to combat the new regime here. They are being added by forces of labor which have declared a general strike throughout Germany as a protest against the change in the nation's government.

Prussa seems to be the nucleus arcurod which the mistary leaders have built up their movement. Reports from various cities in other parts of Germany would indicate that Gustay Noske, minister of defense in the old government, ams forces at his disposal, and that there is popular oposition to the new regime. Even in Hamburg, the old government is said to have taken control of strategic points, and the Hamburg senate has issued a proclaomation denouncing the new government and asserting its intension to retain control in that state.

Men who are directing the policies of the government headed by Dr. Wolfgang kapp have not as yet sectured political support, although a statement issued last night declared the pressing issued last night declared the prestige of the government has increased in South Germany since Saturday. Fallities in fighting at Frankfort and adoption of resolutions by workmen at Dusseldorff. Essen and Cologne asainst the revolt would not reflect sentiment in those localities to the regime installed in office on a Sturday.

Strike orders were issued yesterday in this city, and it is expected the

U. S. TROOPS READY TO GUARD FRONTIER

WASHINGTON, March 15. (By the Associated Press.)—While technically still under the direction of Marshal Foch. American troops on the Rhine would not participate in any allied advance into Germany without specific directions from President Wilson, it was said today at the war department. Officials said the situation so far as

ment.

Officials said the situation so far as the Amarican forces were concerned was a complex one. The United States is the only nation having troops on the Rhine which has not become a party to the treaty of Versailles, it was explained and consequently the American detachment still is governed by the terms of the armistice. Under thase terms they still were subject technically to the orders of Marshal Foch as the supreme allied commander. Steps being taken overseas for possible military action against Germany as a result of the revolution were being closely followed here. Interest centered in Marshal Foch's conference to-day with the allied commanders at Mayence and in the report from Paris that after his conference he would call a meeting of the supreme war council. The United States is now not represented on the council.

The American forces on the Rhine consist of about 13,000 troops under Maj.-Gen. Henry T. Allen.

COBLENZ, March 15. (By the Associated Press.)—The American commander today informed the Socialist leaders that no general strike interfering with the function of the army and no demonstration will be permitted in Coblenz Monday. The leaders were informed that if they could not control their followers the American army would do so.

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It became known today that the railwaymen in the Rhineland had decided to join a general strike called in sympathy with the old government, notwithstanding orders from allied agents against strikes which interfere with the functions of occupations.

PARIS, March 15.—France contemplates sending three more army corps to Wiebaden, Neustadt and Bonn, thus doubling her forces along the Rhine, according to the Petit Paristen. Marshal Foch will call a meeting of the supreme war council as soon as he returns from Mayence, where he will confer today with allied commanders. Reports reaching this city state that every step has been taken to maintain order in occupied districts of Germany and that the interailled commission for the Khenish province has received the German high commissioner after having conferred with allied military leaders. Information received here would seem to indicate the utmost calm is prevailing in Germany, although the severe censorship in Berlin may be responsible for a lack of detailed news from that city. Telegraphic communication with Berlin is interrupted, the last telegram from the French charge d'affairs having been received at the foreign office in this city at 1 o'clock Sunday moraing.

Advices from other sources, however, indicate the reactionary movement begun on Saturday morning is confined to Berlin, and that mobs are busy locting stores in some quarters of the city. A general strike affecting transportation, electric power and the water supply of Berlin has been decreed and railroad workers are said to have asked Dr. Kapp, the new chancellor, to leave Berlin.

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in Berlin, and there are fears the au ply may fail completely.

Military forces at beipzig appear, favor the new regime, while a contruview of the situation is taken by it people generally, it is reported. Munich, the Bavarian government handed over control to a general wis in favor of the Ebert government. The German national assembly hoen summoned to meet at Stuttgart.

LONDON, March 15.—Shots were

LONDON, March 15.—The militia at Frankfort attacked the barracks where Noske's troops were guartered but were repulsed, says a Central News Berlin dispatch. The Noske forces declared they would remain faithful to Ebert. Strikers are demonstrating in the streets of Frankfort.

According to the same correspondent there also has been considerable fighting between adherents of the old and new regimes at Dusseldorf.

In Southern Germany the governments are reported to be combining to oppose the revolution.

LONDON, March 15.—During the fighting in Frankfert 15 persons were killed and 100 wounded, says an Exchange telegraph dispatch from Berlin. The police were compelled to leave the town in consequence of a mob selement an arms denot the dispatch and sign.

BERLIN, March 15.—Count von Bernstorff, former German ambassader at Washington, is reported to have gone to Stuttgart to negotiate with President Ebert and Premier Bauer of the government which was ousted on Saturday by the reactionary revolt.

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